

Background and Justification

Zabul Province is located in the south of Afghanistan 370 km south of the capital Kabul, with total population of 250000, the majority of the people are involved with agriculture and animal husbandry. Ignorance and neglect of the province by the central government throughout history is the main cause of the low standard of living and illiteracy. Absence of good educational services, lack of primary and high schools, both now and in the past, have forced the people to send their children to religious schools (Madrasahs) to the neighboring country, Pakistan, (Quetta.)

Constant drought in the region has made the agricultural situation worse, the orchards have become dry, and people are barely able to get a harvest of fruits from their lands, even in some areas the people are faced with difficulties finding enough drinking water. With the lack of job opportunities (the destroying of opium poppy with no alternative crops available), the people specially the youth have to go for labor work to neighboring Pakistan to find some money for their families, during decades of war Zabul has lost its must infrastructure such as schools, hospitals, dental clinics and agriculture institutes, after establishment of new transnational government in 2002 must of the people returned back to their abodes with empty hands, even though recently the local government by the help of international community build some schools and hospital but due to insecurity problems educated people are not willing to go and work as doctors or dentists. People even with the simple dental problems have to go to other neighboring provinces such as Kandahar or Ghazni. By the low income a lot of peoples are not able to pay or go for expensive treatment, so they have to suffer longer time for simple treatable problems. On the base of this problem in this province we suggested to support local dentist Mr Dr.M. Saber Naseri, a dentist who is member of a german association “Dental-Volunteers e.V.”). He has been trained in Germany several times in the last years, and he was working recently in Nepal for mentioned organization as volunteer for more then two months.

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- **Goals**
- To build three rooms for dental clinic and purchase of dental instruments.
- To bring modern and well trained Dentist to the province and support local Dentist.
- To insure the poor people of the region that international communities are concerning about their health problems.
- To improve Oral health condition in province.
- To insure the people of this province that they can get good treatment in their door step.

Beneficiary

The whole habitant of Zabul province

Material cost for dental clinic in Zabul province Qalat district

No	Items	Unit	Qty	Unit/ cost	Total/Euro
1	Cement	Bags	70	7,00	490
2	Steel Garder	7.5CM	28	40	1120
3	Bricks	One thousand	90	70	6300
4	Asphalt (tar)	Bag	30	10	300
6	Windows	Item	6	100	600
7	Doors	Item	5	100	500
8	Painting	cum	84	5	420
9	Water system	whole work			1000
10	Electric system	whole work			1000
SUB TOTAL					Euro10120

Labour costs

No	Item	Unit	Qty	Cost/Unit	Total Euro
1	Skilled labour	1	60	20	1200
2	Unskilled labour	4 240		6	1440
Sub Total					Euro 2640

Dental Instruments

No	Item	Type of Unit	No of Unit	Cost of unit	Total euro
1	Dental Unit	Chair	1	4000	4000
2	Compressor	Air machine	1	5000	500
3	Hand Piece	Motor	1	200	200
4	Ultra sound	Scalier	1	400	400
Sub Total					Euro 5100

Grand Total-----Euro 17860

